





Seniors vs. Crime Volunteer Help Wanted

Seniors vs. Crime, a Special Project of the Florida Attorney General, in partnership with the Miami Beach Police Department, is opening an office to assist seniors who have been victims of scams, rip offs or unfair treatment in business dealings.

The volunteers in this program work primarily with seniors who are involved in disputes with various kinds of vendors dealing with products or services. Those with complaints are seeking either completion of services, or refunds of all, or part of the payments made.

Volunteers will go through basic training of the program policies. The Miami Beach Police Department personnel will also provide training in the recognition of criminal acts that target the elderly.

Volunteers will need to keep detailed written records of all activity and pursue the facts of a case. Volunteers should have prior experience that will enable them to collect and organize facts. Past experience in negotiations is extremely helpful in resolving complaints.

Volunteers are expected to be in the office on all specific assigned dates that are agreeable to the volunteer and meet the needs of the program. (4 hours MAX per day)

All volunteers must have background screening and must be approved by the Miami Beach Police Department.

The first training date will be held during Volunteer Miami Beach Week on:

Wednesday, September 14, 2005 @ 9A.M. Miami Beach Police Department 1100 Washington Avenue (1st floor) Breakfast will be served

Interested? Please call Officer Julio Blanco @ 305-673-7776 Ext. 5680